

GENERATION 6 - RUTH HOFFORD OR HOSFORD

"Hosford, Horsford - From Ouseford in English the O being aspirated, i.e. the ford or the way of the river Ouse.

"William, clergyman, born England, settled at Dorchester, Mass. 1630. removed to Windsor, Conn. 1636; at Springfield, Mass., 1652, returned to England 1656, leaving in New England an only son, John."(D. of A.H. of N.E.F.)

"William Hosford here (Dorchester, Mass.) 1630 in town records of 1633 and freeman 1634; removed to Windsor."(H. of Dorchester p 57)

"John Hosford of Windsor, son of William, married P. Thrall 1657 and had William, John, Timothy, Hester, Sara, Samuel, Nathaniel, Mary, and Obadiah. John was a son of William, a Puritan."(Conn. V.R. 1631-1691)

Incomplete records - E.L.L.

GENERATION 7 - JANE FYLER
Silas Fyler - Catherine Drake

"Lieut. Walter Fyler born in England and settled in Dorchester, Mass., 1634. Freeman May 14, 1634. Removed to Windsor, Conn. 1636 with first settlers. His house there was within the Palisado, and the well is still to be seen on the property. He married J-. He died December 12 1683. Son Zerubabel born December 23, 1644, married Experience, daughter of Elder John Strong of Northampton, Mass., May 27, 1669. Zerubabel born December 25, 1674, married Rachel, daughter of Jeremiah Gillett, of Simsbury, January 3, 1706 - was a farmer, lived in Windsor, died January 29, 1761; wife died January 28, 1768; son Silas. Silas born 1710; married 1747, Catherine Drake of Windsor. In 1779 moved to Newfield in Torrington. He died April 12, 1779. She died Colebrook, March 1809 in 80th yr. Daughter Jane born 1754."(Gen of N.E. v.3p14n-2)

"Lieut. Walter Fyler, of Dorchester willed use of estate to wife during her life, also \$100 to bestow upon another husband or to reserve to herself to bestow upon whom she pleased - wife died 1690. Walter Fyler charged Rev. Mr. Stone of Hartford with the breach of a fundamental law and upon the Elders in general, sin and wickedness." (Stiles' Ancient Windsor v. 2 p 275)

"Walter Fyler, Dorchester 1630, came probably in the 'Mary and John', freeman 14 May 1634, removed to Windsor 1636, had John born 12 Sept. 1642, and Zerubabel, 23 Dec. 1644; was representative in 1661 and 1663; died 12 Dec. 1683. His widow Jane died 1690."(Savage's Gen Bi. - Dict. v.pt.1 p 188)